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REMARKS

Introductory Comments:

Claims 8, 9 and 14 are objected to for informalities. Claim 12 is objected to under 37 CFR 1.75 as being a substantial duplicate of claim 10. The Drawings are objected to for informalities. Claims 1-7, 13, and 15-20 are allowed.

In Response to the Drawing Objections:

The Applicant has amended the drawings and the detailed description to overcome the objections to the drawings. The Applicant has further substituted two sheets of drawings herewith containing Figures 1-7 in place of the originally filed drawing sheets containing the same figures. The Drawings are amended to include reference numerals described in the Detailed Description and inadvertently omitted from the Drawings. The Applicant has also amended paragraphs [0043] and [0047] to clarify Applicant's original intent regarding designation of the braze joint (seal) as 205, as illustrated in Figures 5-7. No new matter has been added. The Applicant believes that in view of the aforementioned, the objections to the drawings are hereby overcome.

In Response to the Claim Objections:

Claims 8, 9, and 14 are objected to because the Examiner found the following to be unclear or informal: Claim 8, line 2: "at least one of on"; should be --at least one of--. Claim 9, line 6: "cathode side"; should be --anode side-- (as shown in figure 5). Claims 10-12 are objected to by virtue of their dependency. Claim 9, line 12: "tran-saxial"; should be --trans-axial--. Claim 14, line 2: "at least one of on"; should be --at least one of--. Appropriate correction was required.

The Applicant responds to these objections by amending the claims in accordance with the Examiner's suggestions. The Applicant notes that the

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aforementioned amendments do not further limit the claims or alter the scope thereof.

No new matter has been added. Claims 8, 9, and 14 and dependent claims 10-11 are believed to be allowable for at least the aforementioned reasons.

Claim 12 is objected to under 37 CFR 1.75 as being a substantial duplicate of claim 10. The Applicant responds by canceling claim 12 in accordance with the Examiner's suggestion.

Conclusions:

In view of the aforementioned remarks, it is respectfully submitted that all pending claims are in a condition for allowance. A notice of allowability is therefore respectfully solicited. Please charge any fees required in the filing of this amendment to Deposit Account 50-0476.

Should the Examiner have any further questions or comments please contact the undersigned. Please charge any fees required in the filing of this amendment to deposit account 06-1510.

Respectfully submitted,

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In The Drawings:

Please substitute two (2) sheets of Drawings submitted herewith containing Figures 1-7 in place of the originally filed drawing sheets containing the same figures.